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1. WE WOULD NOT APPROVE LICENSE APPLICATION WHERE 20 PERCENT OF TOTAL PRODUCT IS CLEARLY IDENTIFIABLE, SELF-CONTAINED U.S. ORIGIN PRODUCT. INTENT OF 20 PERCENT RULE IS TO PERMIT INCLUSION IN ANOTHER PRODUCT OF U.S. ORIGIN MATERIALS, PARTS OR COMPONENTRY AND WHERE 20 PERCENT COMPONENTRY BECOME INTEGRAL PART OF FINAL PRODUCT. IN PROPOSED TRANSACTION 20 PERCENT PORTION OF U.S. ORIGIN STRING BEANS COULD EASILY BE REMOVED FROM MIXED SHIPMENT AND SOLD OR DISTRIBUTED AS SELF-CONTAINED PRODUCT.

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ACCEPTANCE OF THIS PRINCIPLE ON OUR PART COULD LEAD TO

CIRCUMVENTION OF OUR THIRD COUNTRY MODIFICATIONS WHICH ARE DESIGNED TO ELIMINATE SOURCES OF FRICTION WITH THIRD COUNTRIES OVER TRADE WITH CUBA AND NOT TO AFFECT CONTINUING U.S. BILATERAL CONSTRAINTS AGAINST TRADE WITH CUBA.

2. DEPARTMENT ISSUING CIRCULAR AIRGRAM CONTAINING LIST OF THIRD COUNTRY MODIFICATIONS AND REVISED REGULATIONS ISSUED BY TREASURY AND COMMERCE. ROBINSON

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